FAMILY and COMMUNITY RESOURCE PROGRAM

Program Logic Model for

Potosi Correctional Center (PCC)

Living Interactive Family Education Program (LIFE)

Program is managed by a UOE 4-H specialist with assistance from a part-time youth education assistant and an HD specialist. It is supported by PCC staff, community volunteers, and the incarcerated fathers. Program uses PCC facilities and 4-H curricula (e.g. Family Times).

The LIFE program offers 4-H activities to incarcerated men and their children, grandchildren, or other young family members. Children are also enrolled in their local 4-H club.

**Fathers and children meet to work on 4-H activities**

**Fathers meet separately to plan 4-H activities**

**Fathers and children experience more satisfying visits**

**Fathers and children set and meet positive personal goals**

**Fathers learn organizational and leadership skills, screening new entrants to program**

**Fathers become a positive presence in children's lives**

**Children build character and skills through 4-H programs**

**Children experience the psychological benefits of parenting**

**Fathers exercise greater self-control**

**Fathers become positive leaders and role models within PCC**

**Children's risk of incarceration is reduced**

**Children's self-esteem and social skills are improved**

**Children become better leaders and citizens**

**Stress levels are reduced for fathers and prison workers**

**Recidivism is reduced**

**Children's sense of isolation is reduced**

**Children stay in school longer**

**Children and fathers maintain long-term relationships**

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